

CHAPTER 40

(Senate Bill 57)

AN ACT to add new Section 240 (g) to the Code of Public Local Laws of Harford County (1965 Edition, being Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Harford County," subtitle "Electrical Examiners," as last amended by Chapter 503 of the Acts of 1969, to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 244 of the Code (1965 Edition), and to add new Section 244A to the Code (1965 Edition), to follow immediately after Section 240 (f), and Section 244, respectively, to provide for the issuance of a Specialist License by the Board of Electrical Examiners of Harford County, to lower the bond required of a master electrician, and to permit the Board of Electrical Examiners to enter into a written agreement of reciprocity with any county in Maryland or Baltimore City.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That new Section 240 (g) be and it is hereby added to the Code of Public Local Laws of Harford County (1965 Edition, being Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Harford County," subtitle "Electrical Examiners," as last amended by Chapter 503 of the Acts of 1969, to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 244 of the Code (1965 Edition), to follow immediately after Section 240 (f), and Section 244, respectively, and to read as follows:

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Specialist License

(g) The Board of Electrical Examiners of Harford County is hereby authorized to make rules and regulations for the issuance of a license of limited jurisdiction for a limited period of time when in the discretion of the Board circumstances require it to be issued.

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Every person required to be licensed hereunder, except a journeyman electrician, shall execute and deliver to the Board prior to the issuance of the license a good and sufficient bond in the form approved by the Board, in the name of the State of Maryland, in the penal sum of [five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in the case of a master electrician and] one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in the case of a master, oil burner, sign, maintenance or air conditioning and refrigeration electrician. The bond shall be conditioned upon the faithful performance of any and all work entered upon or contracted for by the licensee and shall render harmless and indemnify the owner, or real party in interest in the property, for which any [such] material is furnished or service performed against loss, damage or injury which shall occur because of lack of skill, or because of failure to use suitable or proper material in the performance of any work contracted for or undertaken by any licensee, or his agents and employees.

244A.

The Board of Electrical Examiners of Harford County may enter into an agreement of reciprocity with any county of Maryland or